



Englewood Flyer

May 24, 2018

No School Monday-Holiday

Registration

Registration forms for the 2018-2019 school year went home with your students last week. Please read them CAREFULLY, make any corrections to personal information and emergency contacts and sign the bottom. **We need a form from every current Kindergarten thru 4th grade student.**



From the Counselor's Desk

Children often admit that they sneak screen time while parents think they are sleeping. The Web, apps, and games are designed to have us compulsively hooked to screens. For children it is difficult to turn devices off. Kids may have more difficulty because the portion of the brain, which controls impulses, develops later.

When technology engineers are asked how much their own children use the TV, smart phones, tablets, video games and computers they design, the overwhelming majority of these people severely limit screen time until much later in childhood.

I encourage you to take a thoughtful look at the technology in your homes. Consider keeping these devices available in clear site of a supervising adult; set limits for the time spent in front of them. Tempting as it might be, do not share device passwords with your kids. If you are ready to take charge in limiting screen time and controlling content, there are parent control apps. Many app reviewers I found online said the paid subscription ones are most useful and powerful.

PC Magazine looked at and reviewed many of these apps. Consider checking this article out: <https://bit.ly/2Bn5fkW>.

Annual Book Sale

Hosted by Friends of the Salem Public Library
Wednesday, June 20th, 10 am to 5:30 pm
Located at the Salem Public Library, Children and Teens

Important Dates

May

- 28 No School-Memorial Day
- 29 Family Literacy Night 5-7:30

June

- 4 Last Day of Super Singers
- 7 Parent Teacher Club (PTC), 6:00-7:00 All parents welcome. Child care provided.
- 8 Twins Dress Up Day
- 8 PBIS Assembly 2:15
- 12 5th Grade Celebration 6:00
- 13 Last Day of School-Field Day in the morning

Supporting Your Child at Home

Parent Night at Englewood Elementary

Tuesday, May 29th

Free childcare

5:00-7:30 p.m.

5:00 Light Meal in Cafeteria

5:30 Opening in Cafeteria & Sessions

Session Choices

Growth Mindset, with Mr. Kanne: Promote ways of encouraging growth in children and maybe yourself too.

Strategies to Handle Challenging Situations at Home, with Mrs. Shaffner: Strategies for children and adults to help work through rough times.

Writing at Home-Developing a Love of Writing, with Mr. Lutz: A variety of writing games and activities you can enjoy with your child at home.

Helping with Math at Home, with Mrs. Kenton: Strategies to work through math story problems, math activities to do while on the "go," and math websites to keep children engaged through the summer months.

